

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Stefanie Geilen et al.

Serial No.: 10/598,404

Filed: April 2, 2007

For: PVC PLASTISOLS COMPRISING
EFFECT PIGMENTS, THEIR
PREPARATION AND USE IN COIL
COATING

Group Art Unit: 1796

Examiner: Peter A. Szekely

Confirmation No.: 3818

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is
being submitted by EFS-Web as an eFiled
Response, addressed to Mail Stop AF,
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on Friday,
August 14, 2009.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of February 17, 2009,
wherein pending claims 1-18 were rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in
view of the following amendments and remarks.

The shortened statutory period for response expired on May 17, 2009.
Accordingly, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to
have the response period extended three months in order to have the instant
communication timely entered. A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time is also
attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account
06-1130 the necessary extension fees identified in the attached Petition and any other fees
necessary for entry of this amendment.

Please make the following amendments to the Application as set forth below.